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Peter Kammerhofer et al.

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PRODUCTION OF VINYL CHLORIDE BY
THERMAL CRACKING OF 1,2-
DICHLOROETHANE

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

An **Appendix** follows page 10 of this paper.